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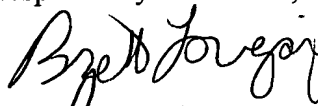
Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.67(b), Applicant submits herewith a Supplemental Declaration, executed by the inventor Julja Burchard on March 31, 2008.

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Applicants respectfully request that the Supplemental Declaration be made of record in the file of the above-identified patent application.

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